(XLVth YEAR.) THE (No. 2263)

MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1790.

STATE of MARYLAND.

AN ACT for NATURALIZATION.

Passed July Session, 1779.

WHEREAS the increase of people is a means to advance the wealth and ſtrength of this ſtate; And whereas many foreigners, from the lenity of our government, the ſecurity afforded by our conſtitution and laws, to civil and religious liberty, the mildneſs of our climate, the fertility of our ſoil, and the advantages of our commerce, may be induced to come and ſettle in this ſtate, if they were made partakers of the advantages and privileges which the natural born ſubjects of this ſtate do enjoy:

Be it therefore enacted, by the General Aſſembly of Maryland, That every perſon who ſhall hereafter come into this ſtate, from any nation, kingdom, or ſtate, and ſhall, before the governor and the council, or before the general-court, or any one of the judges thereof, or before any county court of this ſtate, repeat and ſubſcribe a declaration of his belief in the Chriſtian religion, and take, repeat, and ſubſcribe, the following oath, or affirmation, if a quaker, menanift, or dunker, to wit: I, A. B. do ſwear, or affirm, that I will hereafter become a ſubject to the ſtate of Maryland, and will be faithful, and bear true allegiance to the ſaid ſtate, and that I do not hold myſelf bound, to yield any allegiance, or obedience, to any king, or prince, or any other ſtate or government;" (which ſaid oath or affirmation, and ſubſcription aforeſaid, reſpectively, the governor and the council, the general court, or any one judge thereof, or any county court, are hereby empowered to adminiſter and take) ſhall thereupon, and thereafter, be deemed, adjudged and taken, to be a natural born ſubject of this ſtate; and ſhall be, henceforth, entitled to all the immunities, rights and privileges, of a natural born ſubject of this ſtate; provided, that no perſon who ſhall become a natural born ſubject of this ſtate, by virtue of this act, ſhall be appointed to any civil office, or eligible as governor, member of the council, or general aſſembly, or as a delegate to congreſs, unleſs ſuch perſon ſhall have reſided within this ſtate ſeven years, previous to ſuch election or appointment, and ſhall have the property of eſtate, required by the conſtitution and form of government, to execute any of the ſaid offices reſpectively.

And be it enacted, That the clerk of the council ſhall, before the ſeſſion of every general court, return a liſt of the names of the perſons who ſhall take and ſubſcribe the ſaid oath or affirmation, and make the ſaid declaration, reſpectively, before the governor and the council, and the time when taken and made, to the clerk of the general court, to be entered by him among the records of the ſaid court: And any judge of the general court, adminiſtering and taking the ſaid oath or affirmation, ſhall return, to the next general court, a liſt of the names of the perſons who ſhall take and ſubſcribe the ſaid oath or affirmation, and make the ſaid declaration, reſpectively, before him, and the time when taken, and made, to the clerk of the general court, to be entered by him among the minutes of the ſaid court.

And be it enacted, That a certificate, by the clerk of the council, or by any judge of the general court, or by the clerk of the general or any county court, of any perſon's having taken and ſubſcribed the ſaid oath or affirmation, and having made and ſubſcribed the ſaid declaration; or a certificate, by the clerk of the general court, that it appears by the return of any judge of the ſaid court, entered among the minutes of any perſon having taken and ſubſcribed the ſaid oath or affirmation, and having made and ſubſcribed the ſaid declaration, ſhall be deemed and taken to be a ſufficient teſtimony and proof thereof, and of his being a natural born ſubject, and as ſuch, ſhall be allowed in every court of this ſtate.

And, To encourage ſuch foreigners to come and ſettle in this ſtate: *Be it enacted*, That no tax ſhall be impoſed on any ſuch foreigner, coming into this ſtate, and taking and ſubſcribing the declaration and oath or affirmation aforeſaid, or his property, for the term of two years after his arrival in this ſtate.

And, To encourage ſuch foreigners, tradeſmen, artificers and manufacturers, to come and ſettle in this ſtate: *Be it enacted*, That no tax ſhall be impoſed on any ſuch foreigner, being a tradeſman, artificer or manufacturer, coming into this ſtate, and taking and ſubſcribing the declaration and oath or affirmation aforeſaid, or his property, for the term of four years after his arrival in this ſtate.

AN ACT for the relief of certain foreigners who have ſettled within this ſtate, and for other purpoſes, ſupplemental to the act for Naturalization; paſſed the 22d of December, 1789.

WHEREAS the act for naturalization, paſſed at July ſeſſion, in the year ſeventeen hundred and ſeventy-nine, declares, that every perſon, who ſhall thereafter come into this ſtate, from any nation, kingdom or ſtate, and ſhall repeat and ſubſcribe a declaration of his belief in the Chriſtian religion, and take, repeat, and ſubſcribe, the oath or affirmation in the ſaid act preſcribed, before the governor and the council, or before the general court, or any one of the judges thereof, or before any county court, ſhall thereupon, and thereafter, be deemed, adjudged, and taken, to be a natural born ſubject of this ſtate; and ſhall be, thenceforth, entitled to all the immunities, rights, and privileges, of a natural born ſubject of this ſtate; ſubject, nevertheleſs, to the reſtrictions provided by the ſaid act: And whereas, ſince the paſſage of the ſaid act, divers foreigners have come into this ſtate, and have ſettled, and become inhabitants thereof, and have been induced, from the various advantages afforded by our government, climate, ſoil, and commerce, to employ their money in the purchaſe of property, both real and perſonal, and to improve the ſame, thereby deſiring a juſt and equitable title to ſuch property; but, through ignorance of the proviſions contained in the before mentioned act, or apprehending that taking and ſubſcribing the oaths of allegiance, in the uſual manner, would entitle them to the advantages of property, the ſaid foreigners have not taken and ſubſcribed the oath, preſcribed by the act for naturalization, under the particular circumſtances required by the ſame; whereby their titles to ſuch real property as they have acquired, ſince their ſettlement in this ſtate, may be drawn in queſtion, to their great prejudice and injury; and whereas the ſaid foreigners have always manifeſted a firm attachment to our government and laws, and it is conceived that, by ſecuring their intereſt in our ſoil, their affections to this country will be more fully confirmed, and that juſtice and policy require, that the hardſhips and inconveniences, under which they reſpectively labour, ſhould be remedied; therefore,

Be it enacted, by the General Aſſembly of Maryland, That all and every the ſaid foreigners who, ſince their ſettlement in this ſtate, have purchaſed and acquired, by any lawful and fair means, any portion of property, real, perſonal, or mixed, and have ſince poſſeſſed and enjoyed the ſame, and have ſtill a juſt and equitable title thereto, whether ſuch title be derived from grant, gift, purchaſe, or deviſe, ſhall, by virtue of this act, hold, poſſeſs, and enjoy, ſuch property, real, perſonal, and mixed, as fully and amply, and, to all intents and purpoſes, as rightfully, as the ſaid foreigners would have been entitled to hold, poſſeſs, and enjoy, the ſame, if they had reſpectively naturalized themſelves, according to the expreſs proviſions contained in the ſaid act for naturalization.

And be it further enacted, That in caſe any real property, purchaſed or acquired by foreigners, ſince the paſſage of the aforeſaid act, hath been eſcheated, it is hereby declared, that all the right and title of this ſtate to the ſaid property ſo eſcheated, and to any property ſo eſcheatable, ſhall be and the ſame are hereby relinquiſhed, and veſted for ever hereafter in the ſaid foreigners, their heirs, and aſſigns;—ſaving, nevertheleſs, to all perſons whatſoever, who may have heretofore acquired titles to any ſuch eſcheatable property under the laws of this ſtate, their ſeveral and reſpective rights: And all and every perſon and perſons, who may have purchaſed, or otherwiſe acquired, any real property, from or under the ſaid foreigners or any of them, ſhall be, and they are hereby declared to be, entitled to all and every advantage, with reſpect to ſuch property, as if the ſame had been purchaſed, or acquired, from or under any foreigners who have naturalized themſelves, according to the proviſions of the ſaid original act.

Provided, nevertheleſs, That the ſaid foreigners, reſpectively, before they ſhall receive the benefit of this act, ſhall naturalize themſelves in the mode preſcribed by the original act, on or before the firſt day of June next enſuing; any law to the contrary thereof notwithſtanding: *And provided alſo*, That no applications, within the period limited by this act, to prejudice the rights of the ſaid reſpective foreigners, or others, ſhall be admitted or received.

And, in order to carry the good intentions, as well of this, as of the ſaid original act, into complete execution, *Be it further enacted, by the authority aforeſaid*, That the governor and council ſhall, and they are hereby requeſted to cauſe the ſaid reſpective acts to be printed and publiſhed in the ſeveral news-papers within this ſtate, for the ſpace of ſix weeks after the end of this ſeſſion of aſſembly, in the Engliſh, French, and German languages; and ſhall, alſo, cauſe the ſaid original act to be publiſhed, in like manner, for the ſpace of two weeks, in the month of May, in every year hereafter.

ETAT de MARYLAND.

ARRET de NATURALIZATION.

Paſſé dans la Séance de Novembre, 1779.

D'AUTANT que l'augmentation du peuple étend naturellement les richeſſes et la force de cet Etat; et d'autant que la modération de notre Gouvernement, la ſécurité donnée par notre Conſtitution et les Loix pour la liberté civile et religieuſe, la douceur de notre Climat, la fertilité de notre Sol, et les avantages de notre Commerce, peuvent exciter beaucoup d'Etrangers à venir s'établir dans cet Etat, ſi on les ſeſoit participants des avantages et des priviléges dont nos ſujets naturels jouiſſent:

C'eſt pourquoi l'Aſſemblée-Générale de Maryland a paſſé un arrêt, Que toute perſonne qui viendra dorénavant dans cet Etat, de quelque nation, royaume, ou état, que ce ſoit, et qui répétera et ſignera, pardevant le Gouverneur et ſon Conſeil, ou pardevant la Cour-Générale, ou pardevant quelqu'un de ſes Juges, ou pardevant quelque Cour de Comté de cet Etat, une déclaration de ſa croyance dans la religion chrétienne, et prendra, répétera, et ſignera le ſerment ſuivant (ou l'affirmation, s'il eſt quaqre, menoniſt, ou dunker) *ſavoir*:—"Je, A. B. jure, ou affirme, que je ſerai "dorénavant fidel ſujet de l'Etat de Maryland, et que "je ne lui ferai point refuſe d'une ſoumiſſ à l'obéiſſance "d'aucun Roi ou Prince, ou d'aucun autre Etat ou Gouvernement"—lequel ſerment, ou affirmation, et ſignature ſuſdit, ſera adminiſtré et pris, reſpectivement, par le Gouverneur et le Conſeil, ou par la Cour-Générale, ou par quelqu'un de ſes Juges, ou par quelque Cour de Comté, lequels ſont munis de ce pouvoir; dorénavant, eſtimé et conſidéré comme ſujet naturel de cet Etat, et ſera alors en droit de jouir de la liberté et des priviléges du dit Etat; pourvu, que perſonne de ceux qui en ſeront devenus ſujets en vertu de cet Arrêt, ne ſoit éligible pour ſervir dans aucun emploi civil, comme Gouverneur, Membre du Conſeil, ou de l'Aſſemblée-Générale, ou Délegué du Congrès, qu'il n'ait fait ſa réſidence, dans cet Etat, ſept ans préalables à cette élection ou appointement; et qu'il n'ait les biens et fonds requis par la Conſtitution et la Forme du Gouvernement, pour exécuter aucune des dites charges;

Et qu'il ſoit ordonné, Que le Greffier du Conſeil portera, à la Séance de chaque Cour-Générale, une liſte des noms des perſonnes qui auront pris et ſigné le dit ſerment ou affirmation, et fait la dite déclaration, reſpectivement, pardevant le Gouverneur, ou pardevant le Conſeil, avec le tems qu'ils auront pris et fait, pour être donné au Greffier de la Cour-Générale, et pour être mis dans les mémoires de la dite Cour: Et tout Juge de la Cour-Générale, qui aura adminiſtré et pris le dit ſerment, ou affirmation, portera à la premiere Cour-Générale, une liſte des noms des perſonnes qui auront pris et ſigné le dit ſerment, ou affirmation, et fait la dite déclaration, reſpectivement, devant lui, avec le tems qu'il l'auront pris et fait, au Greffier de la Cour-Générale, pour être enregiſtrée dans les mémoires de la dite Cour:

Et qu'il ſoit ordonné, Que le Greffier du Conſeil, ou quelque Juge de la Cour-Générale, ou le Greffier de la dite Cour, ou celui de quelque Cour de Comté, donnera à toute perſonne, qui aura pris et ſigné le dit ſerment ou affirmation, et qui aura fait et ſigné la dite déclaration, un certificat, qu'il paroît par le livre de quelque Juge de la dite Cour, enrégiſtrée dans les mémoires; que toute perſonne qui aura pris et ſigné le dit ſerment, ou affirmation, et aura fait et ſigné la dite déclaration, ſera eſtimé dans toutes les Cours de cet Etat, ſujet naturel.

Et, pour encourager les Etrangers à venir établir dans cet Etat, *qu'il ſoit ordonné*, Que ceux qui y viendront, et qui prendront et ſigneront la déclaration et le ſerment, ou affirmation ſuſdits, ſeront exempts, avec leurs biens, de toute Impôt, pendant deux ans après leur arrivée.

Et, afin d'encourager les Gens de Metiers, ou Artiſans, et les Manufacturiers étrangers, à venir s'établir dans cet Etat, *qu'il ſoit ordonné*, Qu'il ne ſera impoſé aucun Impôt ſur eux, ni ſur leur biens, pendant le terme de quatre ans, à commencer du jour de leur arrivée dans cet Etat; pourvu, qu'ils prennent et ſignent la déclaration et le ſerment, ou l'affirmation, ſuſdit.

ARRÊT *pour ſoulager et encourager les* Etrangers *qui ſe ſont établis dans cet Etat, et pour d'autres Deſeins; ſupplément à l'*ARRET *de* NATURALIZATION, *paſſé le 22d* Decembre, 1789.

D'AUTANT que l'Arrêt pour la Naturalization paſſé dans la Séance de Juillet, l'an mil ſept cens ſoixante et dix-neuf, déclare, que toute perſonne qui viendra dorénavant dans cet Etat, de quelque nation, royaume, ou état que ce ſoit, et répétera et ſignera une déclaration de ſa croyance dans la Religion Chrétienne, et prendra, répétera, et ſignera le ſerment, ou l'affirmation, preſcrite et ordonné par le dit Arrêt, pardevant le Gouverneur et ſon Conſeil, ou pardevant la Cour-Générale, ou pardevant quelqu'un de ſes Juges, ou pardevant quelque Cour de Comté, ſera, alors et dorénavant, regardé et conſidéré comme ſujet naturel de cet Etat; et ſera, à l'avenir, en droit de jouir de toute la liberté et des priviléges d'un ſujet naturel de cet Etat; néanmoins, aſſujettis aux reſtrictions référées par le dit Arrêt: Et d'autant que, depuis que cet Arrêt eſt paſſée, divers Etrangers ſont venus dans cet Etat, et s'y ſont établis, et en ſont devenus habitants, et ont été portés, par les différents avantages accordés par notre Gouvernement, par le Climat, par le Sol, par le Commerce, et par la facilité d'employer leur argent d'acheter des biens meubles et immeubles, et de les faire valoir, en acquerant des titres juſtes et équitables pour les dits biens; mais, par l'ignorance des choſes contenues dans l'Arrêt ci-devant mentionnée, ou, en concevant qu'en prenant et ſignant le ſerment d'obéiſſance, dans la forme ordinaire, ils ſeroient en droit de jouir des avantages que jouiſſent les ſujets naturels, les dits Etrangers n'ont pas pris et ſigné le ſerment preſcrit par l'Arrêt pour la Naturalization, ſous les circonſtances particulières qui en ſont requiſes; c'eſt pourquoi les dits Etrangers pour les achats des biens fonds qu'ils ont acheté depuis leur établiſſement dans cet Etat, pourroient être examinés, ce qui leur ſeroit très préjudiciables et injurieux: Et d'autant que les dits Etrangers ont tou

For SALE,

A TRACT of LAND, containing one thousand acres, lying in Calvert county, and situated on the bay, including Great Cove Point; of the tract there are one hundred and fifty acres of excellent marsh, and of the upland about two hundred and fifty acres cleared, part of it in culture; on the land there are two tobacco houses 20 by 24, in good repair, and several small houses for the accommodation of tenants; two thriving young apple orchards, containing together about four hundred trees; it abounds with fine timber, oak, hickory, chesnut and pine; there might be one hundred acres of excellent meadow ground made at no considerable expence. The land is well watered, and affords a sufficient stream for a grist and saw mill. A great proportion of the land lies level, and is well adapted to the culture of corn, wheat and tobacco—There is an excellent fishery at Cove-point, and a pond that furnishes very fine oysters. There are few places that exceed this for wild-fowl. A clear and indisputable right, with a general warranty, will be made the purchaser. Three years credit will be given on bond and approved security; but the payment of the interest will be expected annually. Any person inclined to view the land may see it by applying to the subscriber, who resides near it and the mouth of Patuxent river.

JESSE BOURNE, sen.

Calvert county, May 8, 1790. 3

The subscriber has for SALE, lately imported in the Mary, captain Bodfield, from LONDON, the following GOODS, assorted in packages from £. 10 to £. 30 sterling cost, which he will dispose of at a very moderate advance, for CASH, TOBACCO or BILLS of EXCHANGE on LONDON, viz.

GERMAN Osnabrigs, Irish Linens, Dowlas and Sheeting, Lawns, Cambricks, Muslins and Dimities, Chintz and Calico Gown-Patterns, Romal, Pullicat and Chinese Handkerchiefs, Lawn and Muslin Ditto, and Aprons, &c.

The four first mentioned articles may be purchased by the piece or package, the others in packages only.

JONAS CLAPHAM.

Annapolis, May 10, 1790. 3X

Wanted Immediately,

AS AN

APPRENTICE

TO THE

PRINTING BUSINESS,

On the Eastern Shore,

A Lad of good Character and Capacity.

Inquire of the Printers of this Paper.

Annapolis, March 31, 1790. 9

Take Notice,

I SHALL apply to the next Prince-George's county court for a commission to establish the boundaries and lines of HAMS's CHOICE and CLARKE's FANCY, now in my possession.

CALEB CLARKE.

April 13, 1790. 4t

POST-OFFICE, ANNAPOLIS.

CONSIDERABLE trouble and inconvenience having arisen to the late Postmaster at this office, from the practice of charging the postage of letters—the present Postmaster informs all persons interested, that no letters will, in future, be delivered from his office unless the postage is first paid. Those, therefore, who send their servants for Letters, are desired to send the Money at the same time, to avoid a disappointment, as this determination will be rigidly adhered to, by

SAM. GREEN, *D. P. M.*

By virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias, *to me directed, will be* EXPOSED *to* SALE, *on Saturday, the 29th inst. at* 11 *o'Clock, in the Forenoon, on the Premises,*

A HOUSE and two LOTS, binding on the Pond, in the city of Annapolis, for READY MONEY; taken as the property of the late THOMAS RUTLAND, to satisfy such due the state of Maryland.

B. HOWARD, Sheriff of Anne-Arundel county.

May 8, 1790. 2X

The beautiful HORSE *ROEBUCK,*

WILL cover MARES this season at the subscriber's plantation, in Charles county, at the low price of five pounds currency per mare, and one dollar to the groom, but if the money is paid when the mare is taken away, three pounds, and one dollar to the groom, will be taken in lieu of the five pounds. It is useless to enter his pedigree as it is well known, but it may be seen at his stable. ROEBUCK's stock is remarkable, both for the turf and saddle, I believe equal to any in the state. Good pasturage is provided for mares that come a distance, gratis, and great care will be taken of them; but I will not be answerable for accidents or escapes.

WILLIAM M. WILKINSON.

Charles county, March 6, 1790. 9

FOR SALE,

Agreeably to the Directions of WILLIAM CAMPBELL, Esquire, *Agent to the State of Maryland, will be* EXPOSED *to* SALE, *to the* Highest Bidder, *for* Cash *only, on Tuesday, the twenty-second Day of June next, at Frederick-Town,*

ONE brick two story dwelling house, and lot of ground, fronting on Market-street, together with other improvements thereon; one other dwelling house and brick smith's shop, and lot of ground, fronting on Church-street, with sundry other improvements thereon, the property of HENRY FOALER.

Also, will be SOLD, on Wednesday, the 23d of June, one hundred acres of valuable land, called The Resurvey on Turn-Stile, situate about five miles from Frederick-town, the property of RICHARD BUTLER.

And, on Thursday, the 24th of June, will be sold, part of a valuable tract of land called Peace and Plenty, situate on Owen's creek, about fifteen miles from Frederick-town, the property of THOMAS OGLE.

Also, on Friday, the 25th of June, will be SOLD, three hundred acres of land called Stoney Meadow, and part of the Resurvey on Waggoner's Fancy, situate within twenty-six miles of Frederick-town, and five miles of Westminster-town, the property of PETER MOSSER; the whole of which is severally seized and taken by virtue of a writ of *fieri facias*, issued out of the general court, at the suit of the state of Maryland, and directed to me.

† The several sales will begin precisely at eleven o'clock on each day.

P. MANTZ, Sheriff.

Frederick county, May 17, 1790. 2

CASH,

For Continental Loan Office, Depreciation, or Final Settlement Certificates and Indents.

Such as want Depreciation or other Certificates to pay for Property purchased of the State, may be supplied at any time, and with any particular Amount wanted, for Cash, by

tf 4d *James Williams.*

For SALE or BARTER,

A Quantity of Land in Patents, from 250 to 1000 Acres, situate in Botetourt and Monongahela Counties, Virginia, will be sold very low for Cash, Produce, any kind of Certificates or Indents, good Bonds, Land, or other Property in the State of Maryland. For Terms apply to 4d *J. W.*

PITT

WILL stand this season at Mr. Bullen's stables, in the city of Annapolis, and on the north side of Severn river, and will cover at the moderate price of twenty-five shillings, or one and an half barrels of corn, to be paid before the mare goes to the horse, or pass their note of hand for three barrels of corn, payable on or before the first day of December next: the horse will be every Friday and Saturday on the north side of Severn. PITT was got by Chatham, his dam, three-quarters blooded, by Figure, eight years old, jet black, in high order, fifteen hands high, handsome, strong and active.

JAMES WILLIAMS.

Annapolis, April 27, 1790. 4

The Subscriber hath received, out of the last IMPORTATIONS *from LONDON,*

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

SPRING GOODS,

WHICH he will sell at the most reduced prices, for CASH or good BILLS on LONDON.

JAMES MACKUBIN.

N. B. He is again reduced to the necessity of calling on all those who have been long indebted to him, by bond, note or open account, to make immediate payment, or he shall be under the disagreeable necessity of bringing suits to the next term. 4X J. M.

Donaldson and Gordon,

Coach and Harness-Makers, from Philadelphia,

RESPECTFULLY inform their friends, and the public in general, that they have commenced business in the line of their profession, on the south-west side of Gay-street, six doors below Market-street, where they now carry on the COACH-MAKING BUSINESS in its various branches. Any gentleman who may honour them with their custom shall be supplied on the shortest notice, and every exertion will be uniformly made to give satisfaction to their customers.

Baltimore, April 20, 1790. 4t

ROYAL GIFT, AND THE KNIGHT of MALTA,

WILL cover MARES and JENNETS at Mount-Vernon, the ensuing season—thereafter one of them will be removed from thence. The price for mares will be ten dollars, half a dollar per week for pasturage, and two and six pence to the groom; and for jennets three guineas, and two and six-pence. No charge will be made for pasturage of the latter, provided they are taken away by the first of August; but if longer continued the above price will be demanded thenceforward per week. The pasture and fences are good, but no warranty will be given against escapes or accidents.

The qualities and sizes of these two animals have been often described, it is only necessary, therefore, to add, that they have increased in size since last year.

JOHN FAIRFAX, Manager.

March 1, 1790. 3

ALL persons indebted to RANDALL and DICOZIER, or the subscriber, are earnestly requested to settle their accounts on or before the first day of June next, which will prevent the trouble and expence of suits, and very much oblige their obedient servant,

JOHN RANDALL.

Who has on Hand,

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

DRY GOODS,

Which will be disposed of on the lowest terms, for cash, produce, certificates, or on a short credit to those only who are generally punctual in their payments.

J. R.

Annapolis, February 22, 1790. 11 tf

NOTICE.

ALL persons having claims against the estate of EDWARD SPRIGG, late of Prince-George's county, deceased, are requested to bring them in proved, to

2 Rd. SPRIGG, jun. Admr.

OROONOKO,

STANDS at Mr. Nich. Carroll's farm called The Plains, and covers at thirty shillings the season, cash, or three barrels of good sound corn, to be delivered on or before the fifteenth day of December next, at The Plains, or in the city of Annapolis, at the option of the owner of the horse. OROONOKO is upwards of fifteen hands high, was got by Old Sweeper out of a Lath mare; a deep bay, and rising six years old; his form is beautiful, and carriage elegant; spirit, strength and activity, are so blended in him as to render him a most eligible horse for the service he is put to.

JOHN MILLER, Overseer.

April 14, 1790. 4

NOTICE

IS hereby given to all persons interested, that I intend to apply to the next county court, to be held for Prince-George's county, on the fifth Tuesday in June next, for a commission to prove and mark the ancient bounds and lines of the following tracts of land, or parts of tracts or parcels of land, lying contiguous and adjoining each other, in the county aforesaid, to wit, BELL-AIR, WOODCOCK's RANGE, Part of LARKIN's FOREST, RIDGELY's ADDITION, and Part of ENFIELD CHASE, pursuant to the directions of an act of assembly lately made and provided.

BEN. OGLE.

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West River, May 2, 1790.

RAN away last night, from the subscriber, living in Anne-Arundel county, near Annapolis, a mulatto woman slave named BET, alias BET COCK, about twenty-eight years of age; she is a tall wench, and has a long visage, and down look; her apparel I cannot describe, as she has with her several suits, and them very good. The above woman went off in company with a mulatto free fellow named Tom Turner, who follows the water for a living, and calls her his wife. I will give ONE GUINEA for taking up the said woman and securing her so that her owner may get her again, or FIVE POUNDS for them both, provided she is under the free fellow's protection when taken.

3X JAMES DISNEY.

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